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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

IN RE: TRIAL SESSIONS FOR
CALENDAR YEAR 2000

GARY D. McFARLAND
GENERAL ORDERERK
NO. 99- 07

After consultation with the judges, and with their agreement,

IT IS ORDERED that:


1. Except as provided in the following paragraph, during calendar year 2000, the judges of this court will hold combined jury and non-jury sessions each month.
2. During calendar year 2000, combined jury and non-jury sessions will be held in the following months and tried by the following judges at North Platte, Nebraska, to wit: (a) February 2000, Judge Richard G. Kopf; (b) May 2000, Judge Joseph F. Bataillon; (c) August, 2000, Judge Thomas M. Shanahan; (d) October, 2000, Judge Lyle E. Strom.
3. For North Platte, magistrate judges are available to try civil jury and non-jury cases by consent during the last two weeks of February, May, August and October of 2000 and at other times during those months if agreeable with the district judge assigned to that particular month. Questions about consents should be addressed (a) to the magistrate judge who is assigned the case if the question arises prior to the pretrial conference or (b) to the magistrate judge who is handling the pretrial conference if the question arises at or after the

pretrial conference.¹

4. The following magistrate judges will be responsible for handling the pretrial conferences for a given month during 2000, to wit: (a) Judge Kathleen A. Jaudzemis will hold pretrial conferences for the February session in January; (b) Judge Thomas D. Thalken will hold pretrial conferences for the May session in April; (c) Judge David L. Piester will hold pretrial conferences for the August session in July; (d) Judge Kathleen A. Jaudzemis will hold pretrial conferences for the October session in September.

December 23, 1999.

BY THE COURT:


Richard G. Kopf
Chief Judge

¹Note that the magistrate judge who handles the pretrial conference may be different from the magistrate judge who is generally assigned to that case.